

NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO
THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES (Large Entity)

Docket No.
10441Z

In Re Application Of: Nicholas Kim Hayward, et al.

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Serial No.
09/349,954

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Examiner
Christine J. Saoud

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Invention:

A VASCULAR ENDOTHELIAL GROWTH FACTOR (VEGF) MOLECULE AND PROCESS
FOR PRODUCING SAME

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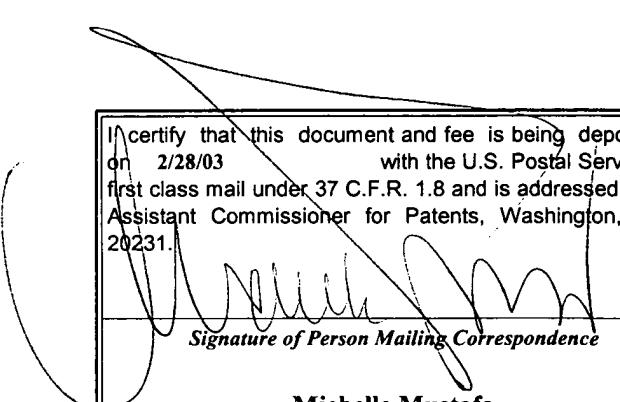
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